



## NATIONAL DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE COLLEGE

### Master of Science of Strategic Intelligence

#### Application Procedures and Application Form

Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the National Defense Intelligence College. Please follow the directions carefully as you complete the application process. An incomplete application or a delay in receiving materials may result in a delay in the final admissions decision.

The College begins screening applications in October each year for admission the following August. Individuals should contact their education, training, or human resource personnel to determine the deadline for their particular organization.

SEND ALL ADMISSIONS MATERIALS TO:  
National Defense Intelligence College  
200 MacDill Blvd  
ATTN: Admissions Office, MCA-2  
Washington, DC 20340-5100

#### Deadlines

**January 31**                      **Deadline for all Full-Time Programs**

**March 31**                      **Deadline for all Part-Time Programs**

#### Admissions Requirements

All prospective National Defense Intelligence College (NDIC ) students must be U.S. citizens who are members of the U.S. Armed Forces or employed by the federal government. All students must possess a TS/SCI security clearance. Government contractors are not eligible for enrollment.

#### Nominations

Nominations are required for all full-time study programs, as well as for the following part-time programs: part-time graduate study at the NGA and NSA Graduate Centers, the MSSI Program for Reserves and the DIA Cohort. Nominations are not required for individuals applying for part time study in the Evening MSSI, the Monthly Executive MSSI or "continuing education" weekday classes.

Nominations must be submitted to the National Defense Intelligence College Admissions Office and may be written memo style on official U.S. government letterhead, on DoD Form 1556 or on any US Government Standard Form 182.

The following materials must be received by the stated deadlines in order to receive full admissions consideration. Please use the following checklist as you complete your application:

#### **MSSI Applicants:**

- ☐ National Defense Intelligence College Application Form indicating program applying to (Sign the bottom of the application)
- ☐ Statement of Purpose (500-word essay typed and double spaced) explaining:
  - your motivation for graduate study at the National Defense Intelligence College
  - your professional and educational goals and objectives
  - what you have achieved in your studies and/or career that will enhance your ability to complete the MSSI degree requirements, including a master's thesis. (All essays should be kept at unclassified level)
- ☐ Official copies of all undergraduate and graduate transcripts sent from schools directly to NDIC
- ☐ Official GRE Score Report (scores must be less than 5 years old - NDIC Code 5205)

Note: Applicants with a completed master's or earned doctorate degree from a regionally accredited college/university are not required to submit GRE scores. Graduate transcripts must be submitted to NDIC. No other tests may be substituted for the GRE.

**Certificate In Strategic Intelligence Applicants and Continuing Education Students Must Submit:**

- ☐ National Defense Intelligence College Application
- ☐ Official copies of all undergraduate and graduate transcripts
- ☐ Statement of Purpose (500-word essay typed and double spaced) explaining
  - o your motivation for earning the Certificate in Strategic Intelligence
  - o your professional and educational goals and objectives
  - o your educational and/or career accomplishments that will enhance your ability to earn the certificate

**NSA Applicants**

- ☐ All of the above PLUS E71 Nomination for Training (Submit to NSA NDIC Program Director)
- ☐ Send copy of Statement of Purpose to NSA Graduate Center NDIC Program Director
- ☐ For NSA Application deadlines - check the NSA/NDIC website

**PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT: THE NATIONAL DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE COLLEGE (NDIC) STUDENT DATA** The Privacy Act of Public Law 93-579 requires Federal Agencies which collect personal information from individuals to inform each individual of the following: 1. Authority: 44USC3101 and 3102 Establishment of Program Management. 2. Principal Purpose(s): To record information solicited from and furnished by individuals nominated to attend courses of instruction of the NDIC. 3. Routine Use(s): used in preparation of tentative and final class rosters for official College use, biographic data on students, statistical studies, attendance verification, historical records, alumni surveys, academic/fitness reports, and other official correspondence. 4. Disclosure and Effects: Disclosure of information by the applicant is voluntary. However, non-disclosure may or could result in errors in reporting course completion, incomplete statistical comparisons, non-receipt of security clearance, errors in historical files, incomplete student academic/fitness reports, and non-receipt of official correspondence.

# National Defense Intelligence College Washington, D.C.



## Application for Admission to the Master of Science of Strategic Intelligence

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Month Date

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle (complete) Title Other Last Names Used

PRESENT ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

PERMANENT ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

ELECTRONIC MAIL (required information)

WORK \_\_\_\_\_

HOME \_\_\_\_\_

HOME \_\_\_\_\_

WORK \_\_\_\_\_

DSN \_\_\_\_\_

SIPRNET \_\_\_\_\_

CELLULAR \_\_\_\_\_

JWICS \_\_\_\_\_

### SERVICE ELEMENT DATA

SERVICE / GOVT AGENCY \_\_\_\_\_ SECURITY CLEARANCE / ACCESS \_\_\_\_\_ SSBI DATE (yr/mo) \_\_\_\_\_

ORG / ELEMENT \_\_\_\_\_ SPECIALTY / MOS \_\_\_\_\_ RANK / GRADE \_\_\_\_\_ EFFECTIVE DATE \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

### PROGRAM APPLICATION

#### Academic Year

Check only one:

- ☐ 2008-2009  
☐ 2009-2010  
☐ 2010-2011

#### Program Location

Check only one:

- ☐ Main Campus, Defense Intelligence Analysis Center, D.C.  
☐ NSA Graduate Center - College Park, MD (P/T degree only)  
☐ NGA Graduate Center - Navy Yard, D.C. (P/T degree only)  
☐ NGA Graduate Center - St. Louis, MO (P/T degree only)

#### I Am Applying For

Check only one:

- ☐ Master of Science of Strategic Intelligence Degree  
    ☐ Full-Time Study  
    ☐ Part-Time Study  
☐ Certificate in Strategic Intelligence  
    ☐ Full-Time Study  
    ☐ Part-Time Study  
☐ Continuing Education (Non-Degree)  
☐ Denial and Deception Certificate Only  
☐ University Of Maryland Cooperative Ph.D. Program

#### Rank Part-Time Preference (1-3) Preferred times cannot be guaranteed

- |                                  |  |                                     |
|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Daytime | <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly Executive | <input type="checkbox"/> DIA Cohort |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Evening | <input type="checkbox"/> MSSI for Reserves | <input type="checkbox"/> NSA Cohort |
| <input type="checkbox"/> M-W     | <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing Ed     | <input type="checkbox"/> NGA Cohort |
| <input type="checkbox"/> T-Th    |  |                                     |

#### FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

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AO REVIEW			
GB REVIEW			
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## WORK HISTORY

Years of intelligence experience \_\_\_\_\_

Please list previous / most recent intelligence, operational, military, and government experience  
Example: 2001-2003, Counterintelligence Analyst, DIA

DATES

POSITION


## ACADEMIC HISTORY

SCHOOL NAME

CITY/STATE

MAJOR

GRADUATION  
DATE

CREDENTIAL  
AWARDED


## WRITING SAMPLES

Compose a clear, and concise essay of 500-words. The essay should be typed and double-spaced. It will be evaluated on your ability to write clearly and logically. The essay should discuss:

- your motivation for applying to the National Defense Intelligence College
- your professional and educational goals and objectives
- your accomplishments that will enhance your ability to complete a graduate degree and a master's thesis
- All essays should be at unclassified level

## TRANSCRIPTS

Applicants must have official copies of **all** post-secondary education transcripts sent directly from the educational institution(s) or testing agencies from which credit has been earned. MSSI degree applicants who do not have an earned graduate degree from an accredited college or university must also submit or have forwarded, current (within 5 years) Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores. The NDIC GRE school code is 5205. The mailing address for transcripts and test scores is:

**National Defense Intelligence College  
Admissions Office (MCA-2)  
200 MacDill Blvd  
Washington, DC 20340-5100**

I hereby certify that the information provided by me is my own work and is true, complete and accurate. I understand and agree that any deliberate misrepresentation may be cause for denial or revocation of admission or subsequent dismissal from the National Defense Intelligence College. I understand that all admissions materials (originals and photocopies) submitted in support of this application become part of my NDIC record and are not returnable.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_